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Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.
Dec 27—Schr Surprise, Spruce, West Coast
Schr Annie, Elgin, Spanish
Schr Hamley, Hollis, Nanaimo
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SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST

LAST NIGHT'S DESPATCHES.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec 19th.—The Flour trade is of a strictly jobbing character; Oregon extra selling at \$7 25@7 50; Superfine half sacks \$6 75@7; qr sacks \$7@7 25; extra half sds \$7 50@7 75; qr sacks \$7 50@8.

Wheat—Good shipping \$2 50 per 100 lbs. Barley—Quiet at \$1 80@1 90 per 100 lbs for light seed to choice brewing.

Oats—Sales 3000 sacks light in lots at \$1 70@1 75; 500 sds good Oregon at \$1 80. We quote \$1 75 to 1 85 per 100 pounds.

Private telegrams quote gold in New York this afternoon at 134; Sterling, 110. Legal Tenders quiet, 74½ buying; 75 selling.

St. John's Day.—Installation.

The Officers of Vancouver Lodge, No. 421, F. & A. M., R. S., were installed yesterday, at high twelve, at Masonic Hall. The Lodges, Victoria, and Columbia, gave full attendance, and also sojourning Brethren. The ceremony of installation was performed by Provincial Grand Master Dr. I. W. Powell, assisted by the Provincial Grand Officers. At the conclusion of the ceremony, the newly installed Master addressed the P. G. M. as follows:

Right Worshipful Sir.—On behalf of the officers and members of Vancouver Lodge, over whom I have been called upon by their suffrages to preside, permit me to thank you, and through you the officers of the Grand Lodge, for the very able and agreeable manner in which you have performed the ceremonies of our installation. The ability and zeal which has ever characterized your actions in connection with our ancient and honorable order, would alone make it a pleasing duty as the master of this Lodge to tender you the warmest thanks of its members. But the pleasure is doubly enhanced in the present instance, owing to the new character in which you appear before us, and I have no hesitation in assuring you that, among the pleasing recollections of after life, not the least will be that of having participated in the first installation by the first Provincial Grand Master of British Columbia.

To which the P. G. M. made the following reply:

Right Worshipful Sir.—In responding to the most kind and fraternal sentiments which you have expressed for yourself and those whom you have the honor of representing, permit me to return my heartfelt and reciprocal gratitude. Although received and honored by you in my capacity as Provincial Grand Master, I flatter myself that I am one of yourselves, and that my humble abilities, so kindly and generously referred to, are without avail in fulfilling the duties of my office without the assistance and co-operation of you all. Let me thank you for this free expression of your kindred good wishes, and to assure you of my humble endeavors whenever required by the principles of our Ancient and Honorable Order generally.

The Worshipful Master, on behalf of the officers and members of Vancouver Lodge, presented the retiring Master, with a magnificent Past Master's jewel, accompanied by an eloquent address, which was ably and feelingly responded to by the recipient, R. W. Bro. R. H. Adams.

The following are the officers installed for the ensuing year: M. W. Waitt, R. W. M.; E. C. Holden, D. M.; Thomas S. A. Lat, S. M.; Simeon Duck, S. W.; F. H. Lamb, J. W.; F. Wiesenburger, Treasurer; H. E. Seelye, Secretary; Rev. Thos. Somerville, Chaplain; J. H. Turner and Alex. Gilmore, Stewards; Samuel Harris, S. D.; W. Jackson, J. D.; Wm. Dalby, I. G.; Philip Hall, Tyler.

MARTIN THE WIZARD held another levee last evening. Owing to the Ball, the attendance was not so large as it would have been; but the performance exceeded in excellence that of the previous evening. The magical feats were wonderful; and the wizard is decidedly the best ventriloquist we have ever met. Our readers may rest assured that they will be not only surprised but delighted by a visit to the Theatre. This evening a wonderful act will be produced. A lady's head will appear upon the table and will converse with the Wizard, after which it will float through the air to the footlights and disappear. The impression created by the spectral performance is startling and indescribable. The act will be performed by Mrs. Clara Martin and Mr. Martin. As this will be the first piece represented, the audience should be in their seats at an early hour so that they may not miss it.

MURDER AND ESCAPE.—While two Indians charged with the murder of a squaw at Cowichan, were being brought to Victoria, a few days ago, one managed to escape and has not been retaken. The murdered woman was a doctress, and was killed because she failed to cure a son of one of the accused. Did the same practice prevail among the whites, the M. Ds would stand a very poor chance of a long existence.

THE MASONIC BALL, last evening, was the most enjoyable and successful of the season. The attendance of ladies was large, and the Masons, appearing in full regalia, presented a fine appearance. The floor in which the ball was held was beautifully decorated, and the busy feet of the dancers beat time to the dulcet strains of Haynes' band until an early hour in the morning. The supper, which was served by Driad, was all that could be desired.

INHUMAN.—We hear that the remains of the colored man found murdered at the stone quarry, on Salt Spring Island, have never been interred, and that the bones lie there bleaching on the ground. What shocking inhumanity!

THE cargo of the ship Prince of Wales will be all landed by Monday evening, and the ship will commence taking in home-freight on that day. She will sail about the 20th proximo for London.

THE second mate of the ship Prince of Wales was yesterday committed to prison to answer a charge of conspiring to induce the mate to desert from duty.

THE Enterprise yesterday carried forward 20 passengers and a small freight.

THE Fideliter sailed on Thursday morning from Portland for Victoria.

NEW WINTER FASHIONS.—Received by steamer at Victoria House, direct from Paris the latest Novelties in Ladies' Trimmed Bonnets and Hats, Girls' and Infants' Hats and Bonnets, Genoa Velvets, Bismarck and other new Silks, Flowers and Feathers, Kid Gloves, Black and Colored Velvet Ribbons, etc., etc.

WINTER FASHIONS.—A great change has been made in the Paris fashions this winter, as may be seen by the beautiful goods received at London House, Commercial street by the steamer just in; comprising as they do the new styles of trimmings, magnificent brocade and cord silks of novel makes and colors; a great variety of fancy goods, and some very fine real lamb and astrachan jackets, etc.

AUSTRALIAN HOTEL AND WATER CURE ESTABLISHMENT.—Mr Seelye has furnished rooms with single and double beds and parlors, for the accommodation of Families and Invalids, with or without board, who may enjoy the benefits of the Sea Water Baths connected with the establishment. Hot Cold or Tepid Sulphur Baths. 1m

WE MAY BE HAPPY YET.—Those amongst us who are philosophers enough to think so, and imagine that they see the hopeful cloud "about the size of a man's hand," hovering over us, will certainly be confirmed in their belief if they step into T. N. Hibben & Co's bookstore and see the variety of attractive, useful and handsome souvenirs in anticipation of the coming Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

HONESTY is the best policy in medicine as well as in other things. AYER'S SARRAPILLA is a genuine preparation of that unequalled spring medicine and blood purifier decidedly superior to the poor imitations heretofore in the market. Trial proves it.

If you wish the very best CABINET PHOTOGRAPHS, you must call on BRADLEY & RUFORD, 429 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

HEYWOOD'S NEW Sugar-Cured Hams and Breakfast Bacon.

HEYWOOD'S PORK SAUSAGE.

ELIXIR OF LIFE.—Mr Heywood, of the Yorkshire Market, has commenced for the season to make his celebrated Pork Sausage, manufactured from the very best of Island Pork—clean and pure as the snow that falls on Diana's lap—Oh, get out! Everybody buys them, because they are good. Now mind, be sure and make no mistake; it is in the fire-proof Brick Store, next door to the Old Original Coffee Stand.

FRED PAYS has removed his Cheap Shaving Shop to the opposite side of Johnson street, just above the Miner's Saloon.

Great Confederation Meeting in Cariboo.

[CONCLUDED.]

Mr McLaren—"All men are born free and equal" and "a simple majority shall rule," are the foundation principles of the American Constitution. The former of these has been misinterpreted by nearly one-half of the citizens for more than three-quarters of a century, and the latter is not yet half understood by her Government. Although majorities must eventually rule it is not by virtue of their right to do so, but of their power; in fact, past history shows minorities to have been often right than majorities; and this being the case, that harsh application of the doctrine of majorities under the American Constitution has often threatened the very existence of the Union. This incongruity between might and right has long since been recoiled in the social and moral world. Ever since the days of knight errants a strong man is not allowed to impose on a weaker one, nor is he allowed to insult a lady; and it is a bond of fellowship in the Christian faith for "those that are strong to bear the burdens of the weak." However true, therefore, the doctrine of majorities may be in the abstract, it is only when applied on the principles of etiquette and Christian charity that it becomes perfect in practice. And the Constitution of the Confederation is as far ahead of that of the United States in the application of this principle as the United States is ahead of the British Constitution in the principle itself. The smallest minority in the North American Provinces is made the unit of comparison by which the whole scheme is constructed. A small portion of these British possessions was held and inhabited by the chivalrous and polished descendants of the old nobility of France, secured in their inheritance, their laws and their religion by a treaty with Great Britain, and to them the basis of Confederation guaranteed all their rights—some of which these gallant citizens have voluntarily relinquished for the common welfare of the scheme and as a token of the unbounded confidence they have in the liberal majority. The oldest and most aristocratic and most jealous witness of the rise and fall of empires for the last eighteen centuries is also a minor under this scheme, yet from the greatest magnate down to the youngest bishop of the Church of Rome in the provinces, all have, without exception, publicly expressed their entire confidence in the honor and charity of the majority. In other vital principles this new Constitution is immeasurably ahead both of the Constitution of Great Britain and that of the United States. The relation existing between the Church and State in Britain has given rise to endless grievances for the last three hundred years; and the Constitution of the United States, to avoid similar difficulties, has dissolved all connection between Church and State in such a cold and formal manner that it is accused by many of its greatest and best citizens of showing a silent disrespect for all religion. On this principle also the new Constitution has adopted the happy means by selling the Clergy Reserve Estates, dividing the proceeds between the Established Churches of Great Britain, the Dissenting Churches and the Church of Rome. Thus, disregarding the minor difficulties of church policy, the Government has subsidized the eternal and essential principles of our common faith with a bonus of millions of dollars, and bade an affectionate and lasting farewell to sacred things by committing them to purer hands. The educational system of our common schools under the new Constitution is the best in the world and framed on the most approved principles of the Prussian, the Irish, Scottish and Massachusetts systems, by one of Canada's brightest sons, and supported by a large and permanent fund, it offers a perfect free and liberal education of uniform standard to every child. The municipal system under Confederation is also the most efficient known. Counties with over a hundred thousand inhabitants have their internal arrangements managed by a warden and a few councillors in home-spoken clothes, who earn their honest livelihood by holding the plough, at an expense of only a few hundred dollars a year. Here are some of the enlightened principles of that new Constitution which the wisdom of the Imperial Act referred to in my resolution has acknowledged, selected from the liberal and tested principles of the British and American Constitutions, which have been incorporated and applied in the lights of their dear-bought experience. The last, the first, the greatest and the best Constitution upon earth. This is the last time in the history of the world that a new constitution will be applied to a new country with virgin vacant soil and unopened mines. The genius of civilization has reached the end of its first journey round the world; for hereafter it must deal with countries in which idolatry and superstition are held more sacred than life itself by numberless millions of human beings. Now, the resolution which I read to you simply expresses the idea that it is wise and safe to make the territory of the new Dominion commensurate with its constitution by uniting the unconfederated provinces under the central Government. And I consider this resolution worthy of your support for the following among many reasons: In the first place it would destroy party strife—for each colony has now at least two parties in its government, and these parties, by their insincerity and consequent virulence, have their vision and judgment obscured by the strife; but by the formation of two great parties questions of greater importance will be discussed with greater wisdom and liberality. Again, this Union will develop the resources of the whole country. 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Dress Goods
Skirts
Shawls
Mantles
Millinery
Trimmings
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Baby Linen
Clothing
Fancy Goods.

The very best makes of
Flannels, Calicoes, Sheet-
ings, Linens, Hosiery,
Gloves and General Drap-
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PRESENTS

W. J. JAMIESON,

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(ADJOINING COLONIAL HOTEL.)

VICTORIA, V.I.

HAS RECEIVED

LARGE ADDITIONS

TO HIS STOCK OF

Watches

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JEWELRY,

SELECTED

EXPRESSLY FOR THE HOLIDAYS!

Consisting of

Gold and Silver Watches;
Chains, Breastpins;
Earrings, Bracelets;
Buckles, Rings;

SILVERWARE.

Fish and Pie Slices;
Napkin Rings, Card Cases;
Child's sets of Knife, Fork and Spoon;
Cups;
Tea and Table Spoons and Forks, &c.
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Castors, Cake Baskets;
Berry Dishes, Servers, &c.
Parlor and Mantle Clocks, in Bronze,
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MUSICAL BOXES,
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And a Variety of

FANCY ARTICLES,

All of which are offered at

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HAS MADE PREPARATIONS TO
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Sweets & Confections

OF EVERY CONCEIVABLE DESCRIPTION.

All the articles in the Store
are Guaranteed to be free from
any injurious substances and are
all Home Manufactured.

A Variety of Cakes

Made of the very best material,

On hand and Manufactured to Order.

All Fruit Cakes are made of
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TO BE DISPOSED OF

A BARGAIN.

THE LEASE, GOODWILL AND LICENSE
of the KING'S HEAD, Johnson street, in consequence
of the proprietor's presence being required in England.
For further particulars, apply on the premises.
de23 1w

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JOHN WEILER,

(LATE OF F. STEMMER & CO.)

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AND

UPHOLSTERER.

Fort street, (next door to Fell & Co.)

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and the public generally, that he has opened a

HOUSE-FURNISHING STORE

at the above place, and, in soliciting their patronage

hopes that, by strict attention to orders and moderate

prices, he will merit their confidence.

In addition to the above, I also would announce that

the firm of F. Stemmer & Co. has been dissolved, and

that all business done by me is solely on my own account.

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ALFRED FELLOWS,

IMPORTER OF

Iron, Steel & Hardware,

GOVERNMENT STREET.

ALL SIZES OF BAIL IRON, SHUTTER

and Boiler Plate, Sheet Iron, Shoe Shapes, Anglo

Band, Half Round, Stove Pipe, &c.

Cast Steel, Tire and Spring Steel.

Anvils, Vices, Hammers, Chains, Files and Rasps, Nuts,

Washers, Carriage Bolts, Nails, and all kinds of Black-

smith's Tools.

Tin Plate, Sheet Zinc, Rivets, &c.

Plows, Harrows, Cultivators, Fan Mills

and all kinds of Agricultural Implements in

great variety.

BUILDER'S HARDWARE

AND

FURNISHING GOODS.

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EX "MERCARA."

Fellows, Roscoe & Co.

HAVE ON HAND:

Lea & Perrin's Sauce;

Bottled Fruits;

Pickles, assorted;

Shoe and Saddler's Thread;

Linseed Oil;

White Lead and Paints;

Lucifer Matches;

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Twine of all kinds.

Also, always on hand the largest assortment in the

Colony of General English and American Hardware

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4-POINT GREEN;

4-POINT INDIGO BLUE.

For sale, at low rates, by

THOS. LETT STAHLSCHEIDT, Wharf street.

CURTIS & HARVEY'S

GUNPOWDER.

FINE L.B. AND H.L.B. CANNISTERS

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KIRKMAN'S PIANOS.

A FEW OF THE ABOVE

celebrated instruments.

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PORT WINE, very fine, in bottle

TWINES, Fine and cheap

LEA & PERRIN'S WORCESTER-

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8,000 PIECES ENGLISH WALL

Paper, ex "Mercara," in lots to suit, 12½

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OIL CLOTH.

1500 YARDS, FROM 3 TO 24 FEET

feet wide, best Scotch and English manufac-

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CARPETS.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF TAPESTRY

Velvet, Brussels, Druggets, Homp, Kidderminster

and other qualities Carpets, in quantities to suit, at

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New and Second-hand Establishment.

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A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

Crockery,

Glassware,

Table Cutlery, and

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Daniel Cleal

HAVING TAKEN THE PREMISES

adjoining his well-known Restaurant on

GOVERNMENT STREET,

(Lately occupied by Messrs Weiler & Stemmer), and

in which he has fitted up one of the

Most Commodious and Elegant Bar-

Rooms in Victoria,

Respectfully informs his numerous friends and the public

that he has in an extensive stock of

Wines of the Finest Quality,

Liquors of the Best Brands,

And the Choicest of Ales,

which he will be happy to dispense for the creature com-

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CHRISTMAS EVE,

AT 6 O'CLOCK.

Dated 23d December, 1897.

P.S.—A LUNCH will be placed on the

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P.M., and CONTINUED EVERY DAY

during the year, from 11 a.m. till 3

o'clock, P.M. de24

SPROAT & Co.

OFFER FOR SALE,

EX "PRINCE OF WALES,"

WHISKY, SCOTCH, in qr casks

RUM, JAMAICA, in blks

CANDLES, India's

SOAP, London, and Best London

CIGARETTES, in half-barrels

MUSTARD

CHOCOLATE

ARROWROOT

MUSKETS. de24

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The British Columbia & Vancouver Island

SPAR, LUMBER & SAWMILL COMPANY

Are prepared to

Execute Orders at Low Rates

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Rough and Planed Lumber,

CEDAR & SPRUCE,

Deliverable at Victoria, New Westmin-

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Apply to

EDWARD STAMP,

Manager. de9

NOTICE.

IN REFERENCE TO THE ADVERTISEMENT

of Mr John Murray, published in the Colonist of yester-

day, stating that he had purchased the entire interest

of Mr Thomas Harris, in the late firm of Harris and

Murray, as also the Stock in Trade, &c., and that the

business would be conducted by him on his own account

in the premises occupied by the late firm, I would re-

spectfully inform my friends and the public that such

statement is incorrect, so far as relates to the Family

Market, Fixtures, &c., in Government street, which are

expressly reserved to me, with the full right of carrying

on business there on my own account from the 1st of

January, proximo, as is well known to Mr Murray, and

agreed to in writing by him on the 24th December last.

My old and valued friends will find this statement at my

post, at the Family Market, on Wednesday next, ready

to receive and execute their kind orders.

THOS. HARRIS. de-7 1t

FAMILY MARKET,

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Thos. Harris,

BUTCHER AND GENERAL

Dealer in Meats and Vegetables, has many

pleasures in announcing to his numerous

and kind friends, and patrons that his Part-

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resumes business on his own account, is a matter of

consequence to the public, and he is therefore

soliciting a continuance of the kind favor

so liberally bestowed on him during the past 11 years,

which he will use his utmost endeavors to deserve.

Butcher's Meat and Vegetables of the Best

Quality.

B. HAVE MENSES, FAMILIES, Hotels

and shipping supplied on moderate terms, and articles

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WANTED—THREE RESPECTABLE (?)

Gentlemen as Governors, at \$3000 per annum;

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many Clerks, salaries varying from \$500 to \$200 per an-

num. The pay will not be guaranteed, but the duties

will be merely nominal. The Governors will be requested

to do nothing.

The Clerks and Secretaries will only be required to

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hours, and only insult 20 persons who may have business

with them; they must, however, be very careful in ob-

structing any exterior that may benefit the Company

by official insouciance and ignorance, taking care not to

spare red tape and large envelopes.

For further particulars, apply to

THOS. S. BAKER,

Accountant in Bankruptcy,

Office—Rae street, Victoria, V.I.

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Business conducted. de11m

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WANTED, A FEW GENTLEMEN

acquainted with simple bookkeeping and General

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These gentlemen will not be taken from any special

Bar.

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OFFICE:—Douglas street, first house on the right

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ALL BRANCHES OF THE

Profession skillfully executed. Teeth ex-

tracted without pain by the use of Chloro-

form, Ether, or "Rigidone" spray.

Charge for the Extraction of Adult Teeth and Child-

ren's Second Teeth, without "Spray" or Chloroform

\$1 each. Charge for Fillings and other Work, reduced,

so as to conform somewhat to the exigency of the times.

Plates of Silver, Gold, or Vulcanite neatly, strongly and

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pletely divided in two. Advice Gratia.

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ISLAND FED MEAT

Of the Finest Description, from their own Ranch.

Families and Shipping Orders promptly attended to.

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Ships on favorable terms, and delivered cartage free

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WILL SELL

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A Straight Invoice of

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